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WETASKIWIN COUNCIL HOLDS ITS STATUTORY MEETING

Standing Committees and City Officials Named. Reports of Veterinary Inspector and Fire Chief. Ald. English Deputy Mayor. Offer Made by Dawe & Pamley to Re-Value Properties.

The inaugural meeting of the city council was held on Tuesday evening with Mayor Montgomery, and Ald. English, Chandler, Gohard, Parker, Brown and Moan in attendance.

Returning Officer Fraser announced that Mayor Montgomery and Ald. Parker, English and Moan had been elected, and had taken their oaths of office.

His Worship welcomed the newly elected members to the board and hoped the work of the council would be as satisfactory and successful as last year. Last year \$106,000.00 had been collected in taxes, which was the second highest amount collected in the history of the city, and he hoped for even greater things this year.

The minutes of the last meeting were adopted as submitted.

The following standing committees were then submitted by His Worship, and approved, the first named being chairman:

Finance—Ald. Parker, Brown, English.

Public Property, Health and Relief—Ald. Gohard, English, Moan.

Public Works—Ald. English, Gohard, Chandler.

Police, Fire and License—Ald. Chandler, Parker, Moan.

Power Plant and Gas Wells—Ald. Brown, Chandler, Gohard.

Light and Water—Ald. Moan, Brown, Parker.

Health Board—Wm. Berry was appointed to succeed C. E. Compton. The other members are provided for by the city charter.

Hospital Board—Mayor Montgomery, Ald. Moan, Parker, Gohard, from the city council; from the M. D. of Montgomery, Coun. Newville and Coun. Jewne; from the M. D. of Bigstone, Coun. Westendorf; and Curt Smith, Dr. Johnson, Mrs. Hogan and Mrs. Rodell. Other appointments will be made later.

City Solicitor—Chas. H. Russell, re-appointed at remuneration of \$300.00. Medical Health Officer—Dr. J. S. Sutherland was engaged at a salary of \$300.00 a year. Dr. McColgan made application for re-appointment at a salary of \$25.00.

Auditors—Henderson & Co. at a salary of \$275.00 a year.

Veterinary Inspector—Dr. N. A. Johnson, at salary of \$125.00.

The following accounts were paid for payment—General, \$170.21; Electric Light, \$97.54; Waterworks, \$18.51; Supplementary, \$8.70.

J. P. Scott addressed counsel on the matter of the adjustment of settlement of \$200.00 received from S. Drumheller on account of pipe deal. The matter was referred to the finance committee.

Accounts from Jas. Smart amounting to \$19.00 were passed for payment.

A complaint from L. O. Felland re sewer not working properly was referred to the public works committee to confer with Mr. Felland.

H. G. Angus wrote offering to purchase certain houses in city. This was referred to the public property committee to report.

A letter from the Empire Gas Engine Supply Co., asking for information re machinery city has for sale, was referred to the power house committee.

Dr. N. A. Johnson gave his report as veterinary inspector for the last six months of 1923. The report was received and adopted.

SILVER FOXES GOING TO COAST

The Montgomery Fox Ranch Co. a few days ago disposed of nine beautiful silver foxes to a purchaser in Seattle, and the animals left on Wednesday afternoon by express for their new home. Mr. Frank Montgomery accompanies this valuable shipment to keep everything in order and to see that there is no delay in making delivery. Mrs. Montgomery and daughter accompanied him as far as Calgary where they will visit friends until his return from the coast.

L. D. Montgomery, chief of the fire department, presented his report for December, stating that there had been two fires. The report was adopted.

Several letters respecting taxes were referred to the finance committee for report at next meeting.

Ald. Gohard gave notice that at next meeting he would introduce by-laws respecting the transfer of properties.

Ald. English was elected deputy mayor for the first three months of 1924.

J. H. Matatal wrote asking for a reduction in power rates for his feed mill. The matter was referred to the power and light committee.

A letter from Dawe & Pamley respecting the re-valuing of properties in the city was read and laid on the table until the next meeting.

J. E. Fraser was appointed inspector under the Mothers' Allowance act.

The matter of increasing the salary of Miss Strommen, office assistant, was referred to the finance committee.

The meeting then adjourned to meet on Tuesday evening, January 15.

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

A very enjoyable time was spent in the Masonic Lodge room on Friday evening last, the occasion being the installation of officers in Victory Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star. Sister Vaughn was the installing officer, and the work was done very impressively. The following are the officers for the ensuing term:

P.M.—Sister Watson.
W.M.—Sister Wynne
V.P.—Bro. Fraser
A.M.—Sister Fraser
Sec.—Sister Wallace
Treas.—Sister Gohard
Com.—Sister Wiseman
A. Con.—Sister Wilhena French
Chap.—Sister Newville
Mar.—Sister Chiddy
Organist—Sister Ross
Aid.—Sister Morris
Ruth—Sister Moore
Elder—Sister MacEachern
Martha—Sister Paton
Elects—Sister Gores
Ward—Sister Williamson
Sen.—Bro. Wiseman.

After the ceremony of installation, an excellent banquet was served.

A joint installation of the officers of Crescent Rebekah Lodge and Wetaskiwin Lodge I.O.O.F. took place in the hall on Monday evening last, the ceremony being conducted by Bro. McKnight, D. D. G. M. and Sister Gohard, D.D.P.

The officers installed were:

N.G.—Bro. W. Churchill
V.P.G.—Bro. N. Page
V.O.G.—Bro. B. Roberts
Rec. Sec.—Bro. E. H. Blackwell
Fin. Sec.—Bro. E. E. Chandler
Treas.—Bro. W. Berry
Ward.—Bro. S. Griffith
Com.—Bro. J. P. Ellis
Chap.—Bro. J. Fleming
R.S.S.—R. Hawkins
L.S.S.—Bro. McKnight
R.S.N.G.—Bro. Gohard
L.S.N.G.—Bro. Moan
R.B.V.G.—Bro. W. H. Cook
L.S.V.G.—Bro. Zack
N.G.—Bro. Derry
O.G.—Bro. Moore.

The following are the officers installed in Crescent Rebekah Lodge:

N.G.—Sister Cook
I.P.G.—Sister Farnham
V. G.—Sister Page
R. Sec.—Bro. Fleming
F. Sec.—Bro. Chandler
Treas.—Sister T. Spencer
Ward.—Sister Starkey
Com.—Sister Hanna
Chap.—Sister F. Spencer
N.S.N.G.—Sister Gohard
L.S.N.G.—Sister Svensen
R.S.V.G.—Sister Dyck
L.G.—Sister Zack
O.G.—

At the conclusion of the ceremony

PUBLIC SCHOOL BOARD MEETING

The first meeting of the 1924 public school board was held on Friday forenoon with all the members in attendance. After the reading of the minutes of the meeting of the trustees of the school, the newly elected members, Trustees MacEachern was elected as chairman of the board for the year. Geo. D. Wallace was re-elected as secretary treasurer at a salary of \$225.00 per annum, and Dr. T. B. Stevenson was re-appointed medical health officer at a salary of \$100.00.

The other appointments will be made at the regular meeting to be held this Thursday evening. Trustees MacEachern and French were named as a committee to find out if it is possible to move Grade 1 from the Parish Hall to the Alexandra school, and what financial saving would be made if this could be done.

GREENFIELD COMING HOME BUT NOT WITH ALTA'S RESOURCES

Premier Greenfield is returning to the west, according to advices but without the natural resources to lay on the table of the legislature when it convened on January 22.

From authentic sources it is reported that the Alberta government leader offered to accept the resources on the basis of the federal government's 1922 offer providing there was an immediate transfer. This proposal it will be recalled was that the province be given the resources with a continuation of the cash subsidy for two years.

It is said that Premier W. Mackenzie King and the Ottawa cabinet could not agree to an immediate transfer as demanded by Premier Greenfield, it being pointed out that an accounting should be carried out as to the status of the resources at the present time. Premier King, it appears, explained that the whole of Canada was entitled to this accounting, although he was desirous that the province receive the resources.

Premier Greenfield is reported to have held out either for an immediate transfer, or a continuation of the subsidy for ten years together with the resources after the accounting had been carried out. It is understood that he will submit to the legislature the offer of the dominion and ask the house whether or not the terms should be accepted.

D. W. WARNER, M.P. HILLSIDE SPEAKER

The meeting held under the auspices of the U.F.A. local of Hillside, by D. W. Warner, M.P., on Saturday evening was well attended. The opening remarks of the speaker were chiefly on the value of the farmers' organizations, and the benefits derived from them. He was sure that he had hit a more or less true chord in his mind, it more so than those that oppose it imagine. Blaming the government for their strong opposition to the farmers, he pointed out that the Progressives last session, to the bank act, which he, the speaker, stated would have protected the depositors in the recent Home Bank failure, also caused a most rigid examination by government auditors and inspectors of all banks operating in the dominion. He defended his attitude on the prohibition of oleomargarine in this country, and his support of an aggressive immigration policy. Mr. Warner is also of the opinion and made it plain that he will bring the matter before the house, that he is in favor of a thirty per cent reduction on the duty carried by the individual soldier settler, bearing his claim that the burden they carry is too heavy for them to bear and make good. In his closing remarks he pointed out that the Progressives were in a much more favorable position in the house than last year and that they had great hopes of being able to force a reduction in the tariff which would be of great benefit to the west. The meeting then closed with a unanimous vote of confidence in Mr. Warner.

One of the features of the evening was the presentation to Sister F. P. Spencer of a veteran's jewel, which was given by Sister Gohard. Sister Spencer was done in a nicely ordered address. She has been a member of the order for fifteen years, and is the only active chapter member of Crescent Lodge.

WEDDINGS

DUX—FORTH

A quiet wedding was solemnized on New Year's Day at the parsonage of St. John's Ev. Lutheran church, when Alma Forth, daughter of Leo Forth of Wetaskiwin, was united in marriage with Gustav Dux of Wetaskiwin, the Rev. E. E. Goss officiating. The happy couple will make their home on the farm of the bridegroom at Wetaskiwin.

GIRLING—WATERSTON

A few days ago Miss Lucy Viola, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Waterston, and eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Girling, went to Edmonton where they were quietly married. Their many friends in the city and district join in wishing them every success and prosperity in their journey through life.

COMPTON—BEATTY

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the Anglican church, Rimby, Alberta, at high noon of New Year's Day, when Marion, the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Beatty, of Plinton, Ontario, became the bride of Charles Davis Compton, formerly of Chatham, Ontario, and now of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Compton. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. W. J. Hickin.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her brother, John A. Beatty, was becomingly gowned in a dress of brown panne velvet, with pattern hat to match, and she carried a sheaf bouquet of pale pink roses and maiden hair. Mr. Dux, a short honeymoon, Mr. and Mrs. Gohard will make their home at Rimby, the bridegroom being the manager of the Bank of Montreal at that place. Their many friends here join in extending the warmest congratulations.

ROWLEY—ROGNE

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Rowley, when their youngest daughter, Mamie Agatha, was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Joseph Adelbert Rogne, of Clive, Alberta, second son of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Rowley, formerly of Millist, the Rev. Mr. Lee of Coal Lake, officiating. The home was decorated with real holly, myrtles, Xmas garlands and flowers.

To the strains of the wedding march played by Miss Marjorie West, the bride descended the stairway escorted by her father, who gave her away.

The bride looked charming in a rich gown of ivory chamois satin trimmed with pearls. The bridal veil crowning her hair was trimmed with orange blossoms and flowering myrtles. The bridesmaid, Miss Ruth Platt, of Silver, looked handsome in a gown of pale blue satin. The groom was attended by Thomas H. Rogne, brother of the bride. After the ceremony a sumptuous banquet was served, and a general good time was enjoyed by all till the wee hours of the morning.

The happy couple left on the midnight train for Vancouver, Seattle and Puget Sound, Wash., the home of the groom's parents. They will later reside at Clive, Alberta.

Miss Moore, who has been the very capable matron of the Wetaskiwin hospital for some time, left a few days ago for Ontario, where she intends residing.

UNITED CHURCH WILL APPLY FOR INCORPORATION

Toronto, Jan. 6.—In accordance with legal requirements, the legal department of the joint committee on church union is applying to the parliament of Canada at the forthcoming session for an act incorporating the United Church of Canada. A statement issued to this effect has been signed by McGregor Young and Gershon W. Mason.

The application is for an act which will make provision for the union of the United Church of the Presbyterian church in Canada, the Methodist church and the Congregational church of Canada, to form the United Church of Canada. It would provide for the admission of local union congregations and for the holding, use and administration of the property of the said churches and the congregation thereof; and would provide for the carrying of the said union into effect.

BAKERY INSTALS NEW MACHINERY

A few days ago the City Bakery received a new machine from the Greeny Manufacturing Co. of Toronto, which was installed this week. This machine which is now used in all up-to-date bakeries, sifts the flour before it is used, and it is so finely constructed that every particle of dirt or foreign matter is removed from the flour before it is made into bread, etc. The City Bakery now has one of the finest plants in western Canada, and the quality of their bread has earned such a good reputation that there is great demand for it in the commercial centers surrounding Wetaskiwin. By the use of this new machine, even a better quality of bread may now be produced. Anyone interested is invited to call at the bakery and see the new machine.

FEDERAL TARIFF COMMISSION HELD SESSIONS HERE

Four representatives of the United States federal tariff commission held sessions in the U.F.A. hall here on Friday last, and on Saturday morning the day was spent obtaining information from the MacEachern Milling Co., the banks, and other sources. The object of this commission is to ascertain information relative to the cost of wheat production in Canada. The facts, as arrived at by the commission, will be submitted to President Coolidge and the American congress to decide the government in the formation of an equitable tariff on Canadian wheat.

The commission is headed by Professor E. L. Currier of the Montana Agricultural College, and with him Victor H. Beach, of Ames, Iowa; W. J. Kurie, of East Lansing Agricultural College, Michigan, and Stephen Jayne of Spokane, Washington. Twenty farmers from various parts of the Wetaskiwin district were interviewed, and considerable data, covering all expenses in connection with the growing of wheat in this part of the district, was supplied to the American representatives.

It will be the aim of the tariff commission, by computation of comparative costs of wheat growing in Canada and the United States, to recommend to congress a tariff which will put the American farmer on an equality with the cost of production with the Canadian wheat grower.

DUHAMEL BRIDGE BEING TORN DOWN

The huge wooden bridge, spanning the Duhamel valley, ten miles south of Camrose, and built about twelve years ago by the Grand Trunk Pacific railway company, is being dismantled. The work is in charge of Mr. Graham, construction superintendent of the Canadian National railway, and will probably take three months or longer to complete. The work of dismantling began at the first of the year.

When the branch line from Duhamel to Battle was put into operation in the summer, the bridge fell into disuse, and its timbers now will be used for repairing and building smaller bridges.

The Duhamel bridge was one of the largest wooden bridges in the world, being more than a mile in length, and it was one of the show places of the district.

The Duhamel valley, with its pasture lands, stream and thousands of overgrown on the hill sides, is a natural beauty spot and with the bridge, a most interesting attraction. It has for years been a popular scenic rendezvous for visitors.

For railway travelers, however, the bridge frequently held more terror than pleasure and many people were thrown into a wild panic when the north end of the bridge was reached and the train began to wobble and incline to what seemed a dangerous angle. As far as can be recalled no accident to either freight or passenger trains has ever occurred on the Duhamel bridge.

The Lacombe bonspiel commenced on Tuesday morning of this week, with twenty-four rinks in competition. The two Wetaskiwin rinks are commanded by H. B. Stewart, H. R. French, H. G. Wells and J. W. Somers, skip; and C. W. Niles, R. E. Schmitz, L. O. Felland and J. W. Herie, skip.

WETASKIWIN WINS AND LOSES GOOD HOCKEY GAMES

Trims Lacombe Sextette Monday Night, but Lost to the League Leaders at Red Deer on Saturday. Team Must Have Better Financial Support. Real Fast Game Promised Tonight.

In the Big Five hockey league since our last issue, Wetaskiwin lost and won, lost at Red Deer and won at home.

On Saturday the boys and a few of their supporters travelled to Red Deer, where a game played on sticky ice but featured by brilliant plays, was lost to the Red Deer sextette by the score of six to five. The Red Deer rink being quite small the local boys found it difficult to get going and for the first two periods were quite eclipsed by their hosts, the score reading at that time 6-3 in favor of the Red Deer team. In the third period Wetaskiwin opened up and secured

The Ladies' Aid Society of Crooked Lake will meet at the home of Mrs. C. M. Turkel on Thursday afternoon, January 17. Everybody welcome.

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Thursday, January 10-4 p.m.
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Ellis vs Roulstone
Herie vs McMurdo
Rubin vs Murray
Smoos vs H. B. French.

Friday, January 11—
Somers vs Russell
Manley vs Miquelon
Gohard vs Wilkins
Schreifel vs Herie
V. C. French vs Ellis
Taylor vs Richards
Graham vs Rubra
Somers vs Roulstone
Manley vs McMurdo
Murray vs Russell

Tuesday, January 15—
Christopher vs Smoo
H. B. French vs Miquelon
Kirstela vs Wilkins
Wells vs Herie
V. C. French vs Rubra

Wednesday, January 16—
Taylor vs Smoo
Graham vs Ellis
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Manley vs H. B. French
Gohard vs V. C. French

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TOWN OF CROSSFIELD DESTROYED BY FIRE

Fire broke out and got beyond control on account of shortage of water at Crossfield last Thursday evening and the following properties were destroyed:

Alberta Hotel, S. P. Conrad.
William Lant, hardware and grocery.
Sidney Jones, saddlery.
Murdoch and Amory, real estate.
Canadian Bank of Commerce, F. I. Bachelier, manager.
Gazoly, restaurant and jewelry store.
Home Cafe, Chas. Milnead.
Fred Stevens, grocery.
Imperial Bank of Canada, J. F. Perival, manager.

These were the business properties in Crossfield which were totally destroyed by the fire which broke out in the dance hall in the hotel about 10:30 Thursday night and was cut off before 5 o'clock Friday morning by the Calgary fire department. This comprised an entire block, with damage estimated at \$100,000 to \$125,000 by Cappy Smart, of Calgary.

Livery barn, owned by the town.
Tinslady & Company, general store and warehouse.
Victor Jessiman, blacksmith shop.

These were the buildings burned in the second fire, starting about 6:30 on Friday morning in another block of the town, resulting in damage estimated by Chief Smart at \$75,000.

two counters, but although pressing hard towards the end of the period were unable to tie the score, the game ending 6-5 in favor of Red Deer.

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The outstanding features of the home game were the work of the Lacombe goalie, and that of the local sub, Montgomery, who in the last two games has played wonderful hockey.

The hockey team in order to provide game of the calibre of Monday night, needs considerably more support from the Wetaskiwin people, if they are to come out on the right side of the ledger at the end of the season. The largest item on the expense sheet is travelling for games played away from home, and at these games they draw no share of the gate receipts. They are hoping for larger receipts, and at the home games they have to share the receipts of the gate with the risk management, on a 50-50 basis, this leaving little in the treasury for them to travel on. They are hoping for larger crowds at the next games.

Tonight, Thursday, Red Deer plays in this city, and a real fast game can be looked for. Red Deer leads the league and our boys are out to lower the visitors' colors and wipe out that sting of defeat at the hands of the league leaders.

WERE THREE DOWN MIDDLE OF THIRD; LOCALS VICTORIOUS

With the score 3 to 0 in favor of Ponoka and half of the third period gone their supporters a real thrill by making three beautiful counters in the last eight minutes of the game; then just to show that they were real fellows, scored two more in the overtime, beating Ponoka by a score of 5 to 3, in the Big Five hockey game here last Thursday night. Both teams played splendid hockey in the first period, the stars being the two goal keepers. Wetaskiwin missed several chances to score by not following up to take the rebound.

In the second period Ponoka had the best of the play and scored three goals. In the third period the play was very fast and the Ponoka team tilted considerably towards the end, allowing Wetaskiwin to score three goals. Both teams worked hard in the overtime to break the tie and after 12 minutes Girling made a brilliant rush up the ice and scored. A few minutes later than scored, the game ending 5 to 3 in favor of Wetaskiwin.

NEW THEATRE FOR WETASKIWIN

Johnson-Miller Agencies a few days ago disposed of the property corner of Pearce and Alberta Streets to Ole Bonde of Lacombe. We understand it is the intention of the purchaser to erect an up-to-date theatre building on the property, work to commence in the spring as soon as weather will permit. The present intention is to build a brick block, with stores on the ground floor, and theatre accommodation on the second story.

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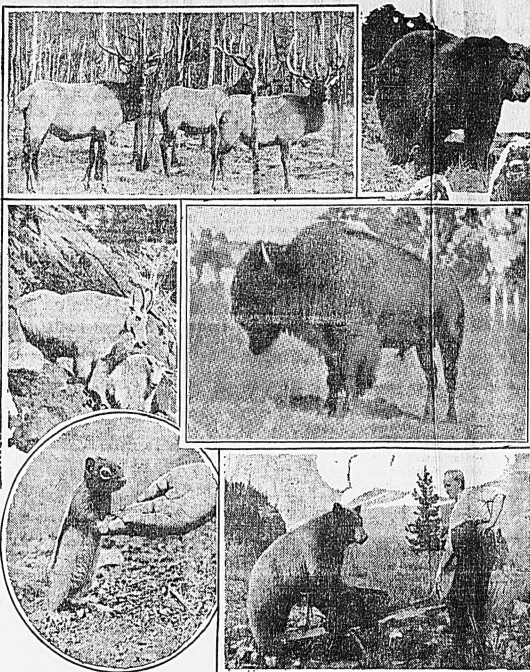
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NATIONAL PARKS ARE GAME SANCTUARIES

THE National Parks of Canada are a haven for wild life where guns and hunting dogs are forbidden and where the animals have come to look upon man as their friend rather than as their destroyer. As a result wild animals are increasing in the national parks of Canada and the graceful deer, the lordly bison and the always interesting bear live at peace in their natural habitat without molestation.

At Jasper National Park in Alberta, which is 4,400 square miles in extent and the largest of Canada's national parks, bears, deer, moose, mountain sheep and goats abound and the visitor finds also great numbers of smaller animals such as beaver, squirrel and others which are becoming quite tame since they realize that they are protected.

At Watnwright, on the main line of the Canadian National Railway, east of Edmonton, there exists one of the finest demonstrations of the feasibility of game conservation, for there, in the buffalo park, are some 8,000 animals, the growth from a herd of 716 which was purchased some sixteen years ago by the Canadian Government and all

lowed to multiply in peace. So great has been the development of the herd that this fall 2,000 of the surplus animals had to be slaughtered and in the spring another 2,000 young buffalo are to be moved into the northern hinterland and allowed to roam at will there under conditions where they also will be safe from ruthless hunters.

In addition to buffalo, the government has at Watnwright large numbers of elk and yak, which are fast becoming unknown animals except to the adventurous hunter who was prepared to go miles beyond the limits of civilization and these animals also are multiplying in the conditions under which they are being kept.

Visitors to Jasper Park at the present time find cinnamon, brown and black bears very numerous; if they go far enough afield they may reach the haunts of the grizzly, still within the park limits. Deer may be found browsing with a stone's throw of Jasper Park Lodge, the bungalow camp hotel operated by the Canadian National Railway and cariboo are reported to be becoming more plentiful year by year. The "Big Horn" mountain sheep graze peacefully along

the lower slopes of the great mountains which rise on every side, while the more timorous moose may be seen on the higher slopes, making his way over precarious footing and seeming to challenge the camera enthusiast to climb up and include his picture in the collection.

By means of the sanctuaries which have been given to various animals, the younger Canadians growing up today can now and in the future see for themselves, specimens of various big game animals which a few years ago were threatened with destruction. And since Canada was almost the last native haunt of many of these, such as the buffalo, the educational value alone of the sanctuaries is great. The experiments already made have shown that such animals as the buffalo can readily be propagated in captivity and in their case also, the revenue derived by the government from the sale of buffalo meats, hides and heads from the animals which it has become necessary to kill, will, it is estimated, go a long way towards paying for the cost of the experiment and the upkeep of the National Parks.

**MILLERS TURN
FORTY BELOW TO
THEIR ADVANTAGE**

Even forty below zero has its advantages, as shown by the suspension of machinery in the flour mills, at Medicine Hat, on December 31. The millers had been waiting for the cold spell to come along, and quickly took advantage of King Frost when he at last deigned to appear with his temperature of 40 below zero. The mills were then closed down and all machinery activities suspended, doors and windows thrown wide open, to allow the frost to penetrate to every nook and cranny, thus freezing to death that pestiferous moth inherent in all cereals, particularly so in the corn brought from South America.

The plan of freezing this pest has been in force for some years in Medicine Hat, and an extreme cold spell is always looked for and hailed with joy for the freezing process by these millers, possibly not so keenly welcomed though, by the average citizen.

In Calgary some mills use another method, claiming the heating process as being more successful in the destroying of this germ, more commonly known as the weevil, the claim being that with a given temperature of 120 degrees of heat, the germ is shrivelled up and so destroyed.

Again another process is by some adopted, that of fumigation, sealing up the mill and using potent fumigants, advertised by various practical scientists. This germ is a source of

great worry and anxiety to the miller and every method known to science in coping with it has been tried. The weevil thrives best in a warm, moist atmosphere, hence the reason for keeping mills as cool and dry as possible, a difficult task where so much machinery is constantly in use. All cereals are infected with this germ, hard wheat, rye, oats, barley, etc., as well as corn, though the latter seems to be a favorite and perhaps its best breeding ground, more especially in that corn which comes from South America.

**PRIZE WINNING
PLAN OF PEACE
IS MADE PUBLIC**

That the United States enter the permanent court of international justice and that the United States cooperate with the league of nations under certain conditions and without full membership conditions are the two principle items constituting the peace plan selected by the jury of American Peace award as winning the \$100,000 prize offered by Edward B. Bok for the best practical plan by which the United States may cooperate with other nations looking towards the prevention of war.

The plan is selected by the jury from 22,655 submitted and before the name of the winner is announced a newspaper vote of the American people is to be taken on it.

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The Times wishes to draw the attention of subscribers to the label on their paper. By examining this label you will find your name on one side and on the other the month and year when your subscription is payable again. This means that you can tell at a glance whether, in order to keep your paper paid up in advance—which saves you Fifty Cents per year—you will need to send The Times \$2.00. We do not wish to strike anyone off the list. If you are struck off it will be your fault, not ours. Examine your label on this paper now and see if you are in arrears on your subscription!

KEEN COMPETITION HERE

A young matron in whom the shopping instinct was strong asked a German butcher the price of a Hamburger steak.

"Twenty-five cents a pound," he replied.

"But," she said, "the price at the corner store is only twelve cents."

"Vel," asked Otto, "vy don't you buy it down there?"

"They haven't any," she explained.

"Oh, I see," replied the butcher. "Ven I don't have it I sell it for ten cents."

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WETASKIWIN

AIN'T IT THE TRUTH!

Inside the club room at the rink.
Are benches in a row.

Where fellows sit to watch the games
While wreaths of smoke they blow;
And if you really want to learn
The fine points of the play,
Don't shout your remarks, just stay inside
And listen what they say.

So light your pipe and take a seat,
Where it is warm and nice.
Where better games are always cured
Than out upon the ice.

For none you'll hear "He's narrow sure
He's coming down too hard,
No! don't swoon—just let it go,
He's going to get the guard."
Say watch this guy, the twist he takes
In his delivery—
He'll fit himself into a knot
If he should drag this ice.

He's wide—he's slow—oh, let it go!
He never got the broom:
There's no excuse to make that shot.
He sure had lots of room."
"Now, what's he playing that shot for?
What can he be about?
He ought to have a running shot,
And take that rock right out."
"It'll never get it with that ice—
Well, look at what he struck!
He's got it after all, but then
He had a lotta luck!"

But when these men are called to play
These curlers skilled and wise,
They make the very same mistakes
As those they criticize.
They find it takes but little skill
To dissipate advice,
And play a scientific game
When they are off the ice.
And as we pass along life's way,
And see the best men talk,
We're always skilful when we throw
The other fellow's rock.
This disposition is not strange,
Through life it's much the same;
We're always wisest when we skip
The other fellow's game.

THE NEW YEAR

Today I readjust my life, and turn old habits down; I cut out all the fat life strife with Neighbors Greene and Browne; I whisper to my tollivorn wife that she's the best in town. And when she says to me today, "Bring in nine bowls of coal, do useful chores, and cease to play fool games of crokinole" on springly feet I go my way—to please her is my goal. And when my useful tasks are sped, I say "I've done my bit; on other errands let me tread; I'll imply hate to quit! And if she doesn't fall down dead, at least she has a fit. For she has always had to ask some forty times or more, if he would have me do some task, some simple little chore; on always beds of ease I bask, and think all I a bore. Today I to the wood shed went to smoke my punk chertoot, wherein cheap cabbage leaves are bleat with horsehair, hay and jute, and so my wife escaped the scent, the clinkers and the soot. Today I've been so kind a night, she has a dizzy air; such thoughtfulness gives her a fright, perhaps a mild despair; she thinks the wheels don't function right beneath my mop of hair. My New Year pledges must not skid, they must not slip or slide; I'll keep them patred in my lid and follow them with pride; I'll treat the old girl as I did when she was first my bride."—Walt Mason.

NO PESSIMISM HERE

Canadians have one and three-quarter billions of dollars invested in Dominion of Canada bonds. In 1913 only 12 per cent of Canadian government bonds were held by Canadians. Now they own 63.7 per cent of them.

During the past three years the individual Canadian has increased his per capita investment in Canadian government bonds no less than 35 per cent.

Canadians have one and a quarter billions in the savings banks and half a billion in demand deposits in the banks.

The individual Canadian has savings in the banks equal to \$800 per family. Experts declare that the wealth of Canada is \$2,000 per head, not counting undeveloped water power, farm land and mineral fields.

Canadian savings bank deposits are \$33,000,000 greater now than a year ago.

**Check That Cough
AT ONCE**

Some people get a nasty cough or cold and don't pay much attention to it, saying, "Oh, it will wear away in a short time," but while it may wear off, serious injury may have been done to the respiratory organs by the prolonged, harsh, racking coughing.

On the first sign of a cold or a cough get a bottle of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup and see how quickly your trouble will disappear.

Mrs. Geo. McComa, Shell Brook, Sask., writes:—"We have used Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup every winter since we came to Canada and find it the best we can get for colds and coughs. It just seems to heal the respiratory passages and effectually checks the cold almost at once. It certainly is a wonderful medicine." Price 35c a bottle; large family size 60c; put up only by The T. M. M. Co. Limited, Toronto, Ont.

VANCOUVER CLUBS MUST CLOSE

Vancouver, January 6.—After receiving tacit assurance that their civic licenses to operate as beer selling clubs until February 1st were valid so far as the civic authorities are concerned, the numerous clubs which took out licenses last February 1st were notified by provincial police authorities and provincial liquor board representatives yesterday and today that they would be liable to heavy penalties if they reopened for business Monday morning.

January Shelf Emptying Sale

Muleskin Pullovers Knitted Wrists, at 85c	Men's Fleece Lined Combinations Special \$1.65	Men's Fleece Lined Undewear Special 85c	Men's Winter Caps To Clear Special \$1.25	Men's 100 % Wool Underwear Special \$1.30	Men's 100% Wool Combinations Special \$2.85	Men's Work Shirts Size 16, to clear at \$1.15	Men's 100 % Wool Heavy Underwear Special \$1.65	Men's Wool Socks Special at 25c
China Cups and Saucers Special 25c	Ladies' Fleece Lined Combinations Special \$1.85	Horsehide Pullovers Special \$1.25	SMITH'S			Men's Dress Shirts Special \$1.15	Sweater Wool To clear out as a Special at 2 for 35c	Children's Combinations Short sleeves, at \$1.15
Ladies' Corsets Special 75c	VARIETY STORE					Men's Sweaters Special at \$2.15		

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WETASKIWIN

JANUARY SALE OF MEN'S CLOTHING AND FURNISHINGS

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price of

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etc. at Greatly Reduced Prices.



A Nice All Wool Fine Blue Serge
at
\$28.50

C. B. McMURDO, Men's Outfitter

TOWN TOPICS

Miss Goodspeed, the newly appointed
matron of the hospital, arrived in
the city Monday, and has assumed her
duties.

The friends of J. F. Fowler are glad
to know he is improving, after a very
severe attack of illness which seized
him suddenly last week.

The Win-One class of the Methodist
church will hold a food sale in the
Banner Store on Saturday of this
week from four to six o'clock.

The Willing Workers of Knox Pres-
byterian church will hold their next
monthly meeting on Tuesday, January
15th, at the home of Mrs. H. J. White.

Mrs. Trout, (formerly Miss Nellie
Ford) of Grande Prairie, with her
husband, were visiting her mother,
Mrs. Ford, and sister, Mrs. Archie
Roulstone, a few days ago.

Mrs. Thos. Lawson underwent an
operation in the Wetaskiwin hospital
on Saturday forenoon. She is con-
valescing nicely and expects to return
home in a few days.

The interior of the Northern Drug
Co. store is being altered and the
stock of the East Side Drug Store,
which has been closed, has been moved
to the Pearce street store.

Wetaskiwinites have experienced
foggy weather during the past few
days. Those who have lived in Van-
couver claim that the fog resembles
coast weather at some seasons of the
year.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Gardner, who are
now residing in Vancouver, arrived in
the city Monday morning to visit with
friends. They expect to be in Alberta
a month or so before returning to the
coast.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Roulstone went
to Edmonton on Tuesday, where they
will remain for a few days. Mr. Roul-
stone is receiving treatment for his
knee, which has been giving him
trouble for some time.

A cup and saucer social will be held
at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Lun-
dell, Crooked Lake, on Tuesday even-
ing next. A cordial invitation is ex-
tended to everybody, and the ladies
are requested to take with them a cup
and saucer.

Miss Maude von Iffland, daughter of
Mr. and Mrs. L. D. von Iffland, of
Fort Saskatchewan, formerly of We-
taskiwin, was married at Calgary on
New Year's Day, to Mr. Thomas E.
Patteon, a druggist at Cardston. They
will reside at Cardston.

M. Gardner, who has been teller of
the Bank of Montreal here for some
time, has been transferred to the
branch at Pelly, and left last week
to assume his new duties. He will be
greatly missed from the hockey and
baseball teams, as he was a power
of strength to both aggregations.

A meeting of the Ladies' Hospital
Aid Society was held Wednesday af-
ternoon in the nurses' sitting room at
the hospital. The officers of the so-
ciety for this year are: President, Mrs.
H. J. Montgomery; 1st vice president,
Mrs. T. C. Robins; 2nd vice presi-
dent, Mrs. H. C. E. Walker; sec. Mrs.
J. J. Christopher; treas., Mrs. A. Ro-
dell; executive, Mrs. R. D. Robertson,
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Mrs. H. W. Wright and Mrs. Geo. D.
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Choice bleached Sultanias ..	20c
Seedless, bulk, per lb	15c
Seedless, 11oz. pkgs.	15c
Choice Corn, per can	15c
Libby's Pork and Beans, large size, per tin	15c
Libby's Catsup, in bottles, reg. 35c. Sale	25c
Stirling Catsup, exceptional value, quart bottles at	40c
Catsup in tins, very special 15c	
Empress choice Santos Coffee reg. 50c. Sale	21bs 75c
Malcolms' best Coffee in tins	
Sale price	60c
Malcolms' best Tea in pkgs.	
Sale at	21bs, \$1.25
Red Rose Tea, pkgs. ..	2 lbs \$1.25
Choice Navy Beans, 12lbs	\$1.00

Salt

Fancy Salt in packages	5c
50lb Sacks, coarse,	95c
50lb Sacks, fine,	\$1.10
50lb Bricks, each	95c
Salt in Barrels, each	\$5.00

Pickle Sale

Stirling Brand Pickles—	
Sweet mixed, 34oz. bottle ..	65c
Sour mixed, 34 oz. bottle ..	60c
Sweet Chow, 34 oz. bottle ..	65c
Sweet mixed, 20oz. bottle ..	50c
Sour mixed, 20oz bottle ..	50c
Mustard, 20oz bottle,	50c
Red Cross Pickles—	
Qt. sealers, sweet, reg. 75c -	60c
Qt. sealers, sour, reg. 75c -	60c
Qt. sealers, Chow, reg. 75c -	60c
Rolled Oats, 20lb sack	85c
Rolled Oats, 8lb sack	40c
Quaker Tubes,	2 for 45c

Fruit

Nice Juicy Oranges, doz.	25c
Fancy Florida Grape Fruit ..	10c
Fancy wrapped Jonathan Ap- ples, per box	\$1.95

Flour

Mac's Best, per 98lb sack ..	\$3.00
Quaker Flour, 98lb sack ..	\$3.45
Panshine, reg. 15c, Sale	10c
Furniture Polish, 50c bottle -	25c
Furniture Polish, 25c bottle -	15c
An Assortment of Canned Fruits and Vegetables, Fish and Meats	

HALF PRICE

Jam

Climax Jam, raspberry, straw- berry, Sale price	65c
Pure Plum Jam,	65c
Empress Pure Peach Jam ..	80c
Lyttle's Strawberry and Apple Jam, regular 75c, for	60c

Syrup

Picnic Folden Syrup, reg. \$1.20	
Sale price only	\$1.00
Rogers' 10lb pails, each	\$1.15
Prunes, 90-100's, 25lb case ..	—
Evaporated Apricots, 21bs. ..	45c

Crockery

2 Dozen Platters, regular price from \$1.00 to \$1.75. Sale ..	50c
Self Basting Meat Roasters, reg. \$1.75. for	90c
5 piece Glass Table Sets ..	\$1.40
Large Fruit Bowl and C indi- vidual fruit dishes	\$1.15
All other Crockery, Pyrex and Ovenware, at discount of ..	20%
Get that Dinner Set now and take advantage of the 20% Dis.	

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Classified Ads.

For Sale

FOR SALE—Good Yorkshire boar, 3 months old, reasonable price for immediate sale. Carl Kruttsch, Phone 2116, R2, Wetaskiwin. 43-2tn

FOR SALE—Victrola, and 4 records nearly new; cabinet machine; cheap for quick sale. Apply Phone 279, Wetaskiwin. 43-2tn

FOR SALE—Two fresh milk cows and calves. Apply J. W. Bailey, R2, Phone 2714, Wetaskiwin. 43-2tn

POLAND CHINAS—Bred Sows and spring gilts, all by imported boars of best breeding and extreme big type. Sows from \$60.00 down, and spring gilts at \$30.00 bred. Bittern Lake Ranch, Bittern Lake, Alta. Phone R 2116, Wetaskiwin. 43-2tn

HOUSE FOR SALE—Comfortable, modern house, six room, large lot and barn, in good location, very low price for quick sale, terms to suit. Also a player piano for sale. Apply to H. S. Balchill, Wetaskiwin. 43-2tn

IMPOUNDED HORSE FOR SALE—There will be offered for sale by the undersigned, at 2 p.m. on January 12, 1924, at the pound, 28-46-234, One Grey Gelding, aged, weight 1100, no visible brands. Richard Ballhorn, Poundkeeper. 43-2tn

WILLOWNOOK FARM—For sale, 320 acres, 5 miles north Wetaskiwin, fine location for dairy farm, about 40 acres in crop, crop goes with farm. Immediate possession; part cash, terms on balance. I have also 2 city lots on Courthouse Ave., next R. Hawkins' residence cheap for cash, or will trade for cattle or hogs, fine residence location. B. R. Doyd, Wetaskiwin. 43-2tn

Impounded

IMPOUNDED—In the pound kept by the undersigned, N.E. 547-23-4th, about January 8, bay mare, 9 years old weight about 1350, has bell on; brand F with lazy V underneath on right flank; horse colt at side. Also bay gelding, white strip on face, weight about 1000, aged 8 yrs; has bell on, no brand visible. P. A. Dahms, Phone 1908, Box 222, Wetaskiwin. 43-2tn

IMPOUNDED—In the pound kept by the undersigned, S.E. 2145-23-4, 1 mouse colored gelding, both hind legs white, blazed face, 3 yrs old, weight 1400lbs. Emil Recknagle, Poundkeeper, Phone R302, Wetaskiwin. 43-2tn

IMPOUNDED—In the pound kept by the undersigned, S.W. 13-45-24-4, about Dec. 29, one all red heifer, rising 2 years, horns, no visible brand. I. M. C. Jackson, Poundkeeper, Phone R409, Wetaskiwin. 43-2tn

Miscellaneous

DROP A CARD—If you want your Auto, buggy, or baby carriage top recovered furniture and carriage upholstery, rugs and robes re-lined, comforters recovered or made new, list cases work at rock bottom prices, workshop on the farm. We call for and deliver all work. W. J. Pickard, Box 282, Wetaskiwin. 37-2tn

Estray

ESTRAY—Stray heifer came to the premises of G. A. Turnquist, S.W. 10-46-23-4, about Dec. 15, dark red, white spot on forehead, tip of tail white, no visible brand, about 2 yrs old. Owner can have same by paying expenses. G. A. Turnquist, Bittern Lake. 43-2tn

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PATHETIC SCENE AT MURDER CASE IN HANNA COURT

Calgary, Jan. 7.—A special despatch to the Calgary Alberta from Hanna, Alta., says:

Pathos, remorse and sordid tragedy featured the preliminary hearing held in the court house here this afternoon when William Francis Hilsbeck, farmer, living at Clivale, Lone Butte, 27 miles southeast of Hanna, faced Magistrate O'Connor of Drumheller, on a charge of beating to death his son, Archer Hilsbeck, aged 7, with a quilt, on the afternoon of January 3. After hearing the evidence of a neighbor who was called upon for assistance by Nellie Hilsbeck, the wife of the accused, the doctor who performed the post mortem; Irene Hilsbeck, aged 10, who was also beaten so unmercifully that she lies in a hospital here in a serious condition; and two police witnesses, Magistrate O'Connor committed the accused for trial on a charge of murder at the next sittings of the court to be held at Hanna.

The most pathetic incident of the hearing was the careful administration tendered to the prisoner by his still faithful wife. Sitting in a chair next to her husband she constantly stroked his hair, and when the prisoner could no longer bear the inevitable glances of his fellowmen who attended the court, and collapsed with head bowed in her lap she constantly comforted and cheered him and encouraged her husband to bear up under what was only too plain to see was an overwhelming load of remorse. When, as happened frequently, the prisoner broke down, she was there ready with a handkerchief to wipe away the tears that streamed down Hilsbeck's face. Altogether, it was a remarkable illustration of woman's love for man when meeting adversity.

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CHANCE OF BRANCH BEING COMPLETED WILL PLEASE MANY

Estimates on the construction of an extension of the Lacombe and Northwestern from its present terminus at Headley are being prepared by the provincial railway department in order that they may be laid before the government for consideration. Hon. V. W. Smith, minister of railways, says that the matter has not yet been dealt with by the cabinet, and it is therefore not known whether the extension will be included in the government program or not; but the information as to likely cost is to be secured in any case and will possibly go directly to the legislature for definite action.

It is understood that an extension of some twelve or fifteen miles will be all that will be considered at the present time. This would open up a considerable area of new country and would give railway facilities to a large number of farmers now settled and producing, but now without the means of reaching market. If the government and legislature decide that the province can safely take on some farther responsibilities in this way, the Lacombe extension is likely to be first on the list for the new year.

When operations were discontinued on the northern extensions about two weeks ago, 60 per cent of the grading on the Lacombe and 30 per cent on the Lacombe and 30 per cent on the Lacombe were completed, says Mr. Smith, and the progress made on both contracts during the season is regarded as highly satisfactory. In addition to the grading, the pile driving for the bridge at Grande Prairie had been done.

Steel for the two extensions in the

MILLET

Large shipments of whitetail and leavings Millet daily.

The annual meeting of the Millet school board will be held at the school on Saturday next, January 12. The election of a new officer to take the place of J. Christie will take place at this meeting.

The Millet Review, after five issues of a real good paper, has gone. The proprietor decided last Saturday to pull up and leave us. He must agree that he expected a little more than was coming to him when he wanted to make a financial success of a newspaper in five issues. No one had a kick on the paper. It was a credit to the man who printed it, and a

Advertise in the paper which is read by the people in the district who are the buying power.

North has been purchased by the railway department and will be ready for delivery in the spring.

credit to the community, the only thing lacking was that the proprietor expected too much from the Millet community in so short a time.

Miss Helen McManus gave a very enjoyable party on Friday last, over thirty neighbors and friends being present.

The monthly meeting of the Women's Institute will be held at Mrs. McLean's residence, on Wednesday, January 9th, at 2:30.

Matt Hemphill is making very good progress after his recent operation.

L. P. Wright is on the mend, and expects to be back in Millet shortly.

Grain is still coming into Millet in large quantities. The C.P.R. have handled the cars with dispatch.

The literary society of the Millet high school last week held the final instalment on the school piano.

Attorney General Brownlee, of Alberta, will address a public meeting at Playon's hall on Thursday, January 10th.

Tom Ward of Wetaskiwin, was a visitor to Millet on Monday.

HILLSIDE

Miss Asp returned on Saturday from Wetaskiwin to take charge of the school, which reopened on Monday.

The Social Club held a "500" card party on New Year's Eve. All present seemed to enjoy themselves.

D. W. Warner, M.P., and son were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Young on Saturday evening and Sunday.

The Millet U.P.W.A. will hold its monthly social evening in the Hillside school on Saturday evening, January 19th.

The annual ratepayers' meeting will be held at the school on Saturday, January 12, at 2 p.m.

PLEASANT PRAIRIE

At the annual meeting of St. John's Lutheran congregation it was resolved to celebrate its 25th anniversary in August of this year. As officers for the year, Gus. Forth was unanimously re-elected as elder and Karl Felsch as trustee.

YEOFORD

The annual meeting of the Red Cross branch was held at the home of Mrs. Goodhand, Wenham Valley. A large number of members were present and considerable business was transacted. The following officers were re-elected for the year 1924:

President—Mark Wenham
Vice president—Jack Routhstone
Secretary—Mrs. W. A. Jones
Treasurer—W. A. Jones

The Red Cross branch have decided to build a new hall and a building committee has already been appointed and it is expected building operations will start at once.

The Red Cross branch are holding a leap year masquerade dance in P. hall on Thursday, February 14. The young people intend holding a sale of work at the same time.

The quilt which was raffled off at the Red Cross Christmas Tree on December 25, was won by Mrs. Sam Baxter, of Wetaskiwin, the lucky number being 226.

STAR STORE

THE BIG January Clearing Sale is off with a good start

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Ladies' D. & A. Corsets, Special at per pair \$1.00 Clearing Sale in both front and back lace Corsets, odd lines, values to \$8.50. To clear at \$2.95

LADIES' COATS

2 only Ladies' Fur Collared Coats, all wool Velour. Regular \$65.00. Sale Price \$35.00

One only best quality Bolivia, with Fitch fur collar. Regular \$87.50. To clear at \$59.50

One only Marvella cloth coat with seal collar, full silk lined. Regular \$59.50. Sale \$39.50

LADIES' ALL WOOL SWEATERS

Special bargains in Ladies' all wool sweaters, in pullover and coat styles. Values to \$14.00. Out they go at \$4.95

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Edmonton Weekly News Bulletin

New Road Program

The department of public works has prepared an extensive road program which will take at least five years to complete. The program arranged will make provision for the improvement and development of the market road system as well as the highway system. Substantially increased provincial grants will be given to municipal districts for the purpose of improving their market roads and the district engineers will be relieved of some of their present duties in order that they may devote more time to advising the municipal councils on road building. The need for improving the market road system in the province is urgent in order to give better facilities for marketing farm produce, but, unfortunately, this work has been delayed owing to the financial condition in which the present government found the province on assuming office.

The main highway system will be improved concurrently with the market road system and will be financed by capitalizing a portion of the revenue from auto licenses for a period of fifteen years. Bonds will be sold for three and a half million dollars, and that amount will be spent on the highway system over the five year period. Each year for fifteen years an amount from the auto license revenues will be set aside to pay the interest on the bonds and create a sinking fund which will provide for the maturing bonds. At the expiry of fifteen years the provincial debt will not be increased as a result of the program now arranged. The main highway system will be brought up to a standard to be approved of by the federal highway commission and will earn the federal aid grant of one and a half millions which will leave about two million dollars of an actual expenditure by the province. The province will apply for an extension of time on the federal aid grant on the grounds that many of the roads which will be improved with this expenditure will be arteries feeding the national parks and improved roads will bring more revenue to the parks branch of the federal government. A great deal of the preliminary work incident to proper road construction has been done during the last two years with the result that engineering principles will be applied throughout the entire program. Gravel will be used in localities where deposits are suitably located.

Alberta to be Represented
Alberta will find a prominent place this year, with an exhibit at the annual exposition of western Canadian farm products held by the T. Eaton Company at their store in Winnipeg February 7 to 16. Hon. George Hoadley, minister of agriculture, announced that arrangements have been made to place at this exposition, the exhibit of seed grains that won such commendation at the international hay and grain show last month. This exhibit was put up jointly by the department of agriculture and the university. A duplicate of this exhibit is also to be taken to the British Empire exposition in London this spring, by the dominion government seed branch at Ottawa.

The province will also be represented at the Eaton exposition by two demonstration teams, one at grain in domestic science from the school of agriculture at Olds, and the other of boys in agriculture from the school of agriculture at Claresholm.

Tax Collections

Half a million dollars ahead of the best previous year will be the record of tax collections through the department of municipal affairs for the year 1923, according to the provincial treasurer. When business was stopped Monday night, at the end of the calendar year, the total collections stood at \$3,710,000, which is about a million dollars better than 1922 and exactly \$530,570 better than 1920, the record year heretofore.

Imperial Oil Co. Refinery
With a capacity of 4,000 barrels a day, the new oil refinery of the Imperial Oil Company has commenced operation. The refinery is well supplied with crude oil from Montana field, the huge storage tanks being filled in readiness for operation.

Further Tests of Tar Sands
The provincial government is planning to make further tests of the use of the McMurray tar sands for road purposes, and will install a separation plant at the E.D. & B.C. yards in the city.

Survey New Line

Surveyors for the C.P.R. are now in the field running final lines for the new branch to operate from Kipp, near Lehigh, to the Red River line. This branch will traverse the Lehigh-Northern irrigation district and will be built the coming year.

Coal a National Question
Calling upon the Canadian parliament to take action at the coming session and make the question of coal supply a national problem, the council of the Edmonton board of trade passed an important resolution at its Wednesday meeting. Parliament is asked to consider the advisability of establishing rates on the Canadian National railway which will enable Alberta coal to compete on the Ontario and Quebec markets with the Pennsylvania product.

Commissioner to Empire Exhibition
Hon. George Hoadley, minister of agriculture, will represent Alberta as honorary commissioner from this province to the British Empire Exposition in London, this year. Mr. Hoadley has been appointed to act in this capacity following a request from the federal government, which has been made to all provinces that an honorary commissioner be named to attend the exhibition.

CO-OPERATIVE FARM MARKETING

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of recent organization require a signed contract from each member to deliver his entire marketable output to the cooperative association for a stated number of years. In order to secure enforcement of these contracts some associations have inserted "penalty" clauses. In most cases these have been declared invalid, as being in restraint of competition, by courts to which application has been carried. This has led to the general substitution of provisions for receiving "liquidated damages," for breach of contract, by which, in its usual form, members agree to pay to the association a stipulated amount for each unit of product sold outside the pool, the amount representing the estimated loss to the cooperative of such diversion.

While some such form of definite agreement, with powers of enforcement, is generally necessary in order to ensure that the commitments of a cooperative association shall not be prejudiced by default of its members, a cooperative is inviting disruption which depends unduly on "cast iron" contracts and legal enforcement. Too often cooperatives have been highly formed by high pressure promotion, and farmers more or less stampeded to sign long legal documents, which they do not fully understand. The cooperative must hold its members by virtue of superior merit and efficiency, not by legal constraint. As the president of the Sun Maid Raisin Growers has said: "The very life of an organization like this depends on the goodwill of the community in which it operates. An organization, that depends upon the contract rather than on the goodwill of the growers is bound to fail."

On the other hand the marketing organization can not succeed unless its members stand loyally by it even when initial difficulties are formidable, and returns may be deferred. But the only sound formation for such adhesion is to be found in patient and progressive educational and organizational work. Intelligent individual participation is the keynote of successful cooperation.

Financial Aspects of Cooperation
Cooperative organizations are of two main types, in so far as their financial basis is concerned.

1. The cooperative company requires each member to subscribe to one or more shares of its capital stock. It differs from a corporation however, in limiting the number of votes which each shareholder may

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command, and further, in limiting the return to capital.

2. The non-stock, non-profit association, as its name implies, issues no capital stock, its expenses are met by nominal membership fees, by assessments on members, or by temporary loans. Its net earnings are prorated back to members at the end of each season's operations.

The first type is usually found where considerable capital is required (as elevators, creameries, cheese factories, packing houses, etc.). The second is generally found where the co-operators instead of owning plants of their own, merely pay rental or storage charges for use of privately owned or government facilities; or where local cooperative companies, having facilities of their own, wish to establish a central selling organization of which the pooled crop constitutes the "circulating capital." Such is the characteristic organization adopted by many of the California cooperative selling agencies, and by the tobacco and cotton growers' cooperatives in Canada the grain growers' companies with their elevator contracts, exemplify the second. The cooperative company is obviously established on a more permanent basis, and occupies a more independent position. It functions like a wholesale middleman, buying crop deliveries outright, and taking its own risks in resale. The latter acts rather as a commission agent, borrowing capital for initial advances on the security of the goods delivered, and returning the final proceeds less the actual cost of selling. The initial efforts of the cooperative company are concerned with securing stock subscriptions, whereas the non-stock association's main concern is with the securing of delivery contracts.

Distribution of Savings
Cooperative distribution is based on the twin principles of a fixed return to capital, and of utilization of the net surplus for the benefit of the members. In the case of the non-stock, non-profit association, all receipts in excess of expenses are prorated back to the members on the basis of their contribution to the business of the association, as ascertained by grade certificates. In the case of cooperative companies experience has suggested the wisdom of applying a considerable proportion of the annual surplus to general and contingency reserves, as well as making provision for depreciation.

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THE PERFUME OF BISCUITS

At seven o'clock George Henderson's

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the dream and his eyes sprang open.

The room looked just the same as

always, and yet there seemed some

thing strange about it. Finally it

dawned upon him that a perfume from

the past was scenting up his surround-

ings—a perfume of baking biscuits.

The strange thing about it was that

in his dream he had been seated at

a table about to begin an attack on

warm biscuits and maple syrup. In

George's opinion such a delinquency was

gastronomical paradise. And how El-

sie Havers could make biscuits.

The faint sound of an oven door

banging shut and the rattling of pans

came from the next room. "The new

light housekeepers," commented Geo-

ge, as he crawled from bed and began to

dress. "That won't last long. Mrs.

Maloney simply won't stand for any

baking."

Arriving at his office, George waded

into his correspondence, gave instruc-

tions to his assistants and clerks, then

secluded himself from all callers and

gave himself up to dreams.

Elsie Havers was the cause and the

subject of these dreams. George

could not forget her, although he had

seen her last ten years ago. At first

when he came to Detroit, he had given

her scarcely a thought, he was so

busy making good in the real estate

game, and besides, his fellow work-

ers were acquainted with some very

attractive city girls, one of whom had

quite captivated George and allowed

him to spend a great deal of time with

her and money on her; until her for-

mer sweetheart, who had been west,

came back and married her and took

her to Colorado.

When George recovered from the

blow he discovered that he had never

loved Vivian; it had simply been a

case of infatuation. His thoughts

naturally reverted to Elsie, and he at-

tempted to renew his neglected cor-

respondence with her. His letters

came back unopened, stamped "un-

claimed." He wrote to mutual friends

and learned that Elsie and her mother

had left Harbor Springs and were liv-

ing in Chicago, although their address

was unobtainable.

"Why not pay the old town a visit,

anyhow?" he asked himself after a

few moments more of cogitation. "It

must be nice seeing whether there

has been any change here, but it will

be a pleasure to visit the places we

used to visit together. I haven't seen

the place in ten years."

When George awoke at seven the

next morning he dressed leisurely,

packed a suitcase and instead of head-

ing for the office he went to the

station. Twelve hours later he stepped

off the train at Harbor Springs. He

was tired, so he went straightway

to bed in the hotel.

George seemed imbued with new

life as he walked to the window in

his room the following morning and

looked over the harbor, from which a

fresh, invigorating breeze was waft-

ed. He dressed quickly and hurried

to the street.

As he walked up the bluff his gait

increased. Soon he was swinging

along a country road, his shoulders

back, his step firm, inhaling pure

country air.

Before long he met a farm driver,

in which he noticed a number of large

tin cans.

"Hello," he called. "Wait a minute!"

The driver applied the brakes, and

the car stopped.

"Well, well," said the driver. "If it

ain't George Henderson."

"Bill Jackson's George," explained,

and he extended a hand, which met

a fine warm clasp. "Are you still

dealing in maple syrup?"

"You bet. Here's thirty gallons. I

am taking them to the store."

"Won't twenty-nine be enough for

the store?" asked George, reaching for

his pocketbook. I haven't tasted maple

syrup for ten years."

"Nope. I can't sell 'em." Bill's face

was covered with a multitude of wri-

nckles as he added, "but I'll give you

one for old time's sake. You used to

be my best customer."

George thanked him and trod on

with his can of syrup. It was heavy,

but it wouldn't be after he found the

sluidy spot. Soon he came to a four

corners. On each of the corners stood

a house. George passed in front of

the smallest, which had a large side

porch and presented an extraordinary

new appearance in spite of the

fact that the weather had depicted it

of all traces of paint.

Elsie's old home," he sighed. "Wonder

who lives there now?"

He mounted to porch. The door

was open and only a screen hid the

progress. To his astonishment the same

perfume that had scented him in his

nostrils two mornings ago came from

the interior of the house. He knock-

ed, and a middle-aged lady, with

white hair, hustled to the door. When

George saw her he dropped his can of

maple syrup to the porch floor. For the

use of the neighboring home-

"Mrs. Havers!" he almost shouted, staring and farmers.



Some of the distinguished Canadians who attended the funeral of Lord Dufferin are here seen at the grave of the late Chairman of the Canadian Pacific Railway. From left to right, W. F. Shaughnessy, who succeeded in father's office, H. W. Rensselaer, T. Shanahan and H. C. Grant. In the rear, left to right: Sir Ernest Goss (with hand raised), Premier W. L. Mackenzie King, Senator Dandread, E. W. Healey, Sir Herbert Hall, W. N. Tilley, K.C., A. D. Macfarlane, and Senator Bejock.

FOREIGN BORN IN ALBERTA HOLD THE BALANCE OF POWER

"When the demobilization of the Canadian army took place, 1,000 men per day were discharged, and even at this comparatively gradual rate, officials were dubious as to the absorption powers of Canadian industry. They did not realize, however, that at the outbreak of war immigrants from all parts of the world were landing in Canada at the rate of 1,000 a day."

George was walking toward the kitchen. He stuck his head through the doorway and his eyes took in a young lady heading over the oven. The girl looked up and their glances met.

She hurriedly regained her feet and stood back in amazement.

"What—what are you doing here?" she faltered, and her eyes found the floor.

George smiled, as he had not smiled in years.

"I just dropped in for breakfast. You see, I have maple syrup, and you—

you have the biscuits; I thought we might collaborate."

"Yes," observed Mrs. Havers, as she poured syrup on a biscuit. "We thought it would be nice to spend the summer in the old home—to be resorters, like the folks over on the point; so here we are—came just yesterday morning."

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Choice Beef Roasts, per lb 10c
 Choice Boiling Beef, per pound 6c to 8c
 Brookfield Pork Sausage, per carton 35c
 Our Own Little Pork Sausage, per lb 25c
 Pigeon Lake Whitefish, 2 for 25c
 Salt Cod, per package, 25c, 45c and 50c
 Fresh Ground Bone, will make your hens lay
 —5 pounds for 25c

SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY

Roasts of Young Pork, per pound 15c
 Lard, 3lb pails, each 60c
 Lard, 5lb pails, each \$1.00
 Pineapple, good quality, can 25c
 Turnips, 15 pounds for 25c

Good bulk Cocoa, per pound 15c
 Eggs, fresh two's, per dozen 30c
 Ketchup, quart bottles, each 40c
 Large Grape Fruit, 15c; Lemons, dozen 50c
 California Oranges, per dozen, 40c, 50c, 60c
 Celery, Cauliflower, Head Lettuce, Parsnips, etc.

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Shredded Wheat Biscuit, .. 14c
 Corn Flakes, per package .. 11c
 Perrin's Sodas, package 33c
 Perrin's Fancy Biscuits, regu-
 lar 50c and 60c lb. at 42c
 Shelled Almonds, reg. 70c, - 59c
 Cut Peel, 1lb package, not
 fresh but good, at 23c
 Cut Peel, 1lb package, fresh
 stock, per pound 33c
 Shredded Coconut, per lb. 38c
 Mixed Nuts, per pound 22c
 Klim (milk substitute) small
 can, each 23c
 Klim, large can 68c
 Oyster Shell, 100lb bag .. \$2.23
 Honey, pure Ont. 5lb tin .. 98c
 Honey, pure Ont., 10lb tin \$1.88
 Old Dutch Cleanser, tin 12c
 Renol Polish (the finest polish
 in the land for furniture or
 for Autos, reg. \$1.25 bot. - 78c
 Regular 50c bottle for 37c
 Tuxedo Baking Powder, reg.
 30c size for 24c
 Jelly Powders, Pure Gold, in
 any flavor, per package 9c

Apples

Fancy and Extra Fancy Grades
 —Per box \$1.98

Tea, in bulk, reg. 75c, for 68c
 Mince Meat, 4lb tin 82c
 Empress Jam, 4lb tin, Red
 Plum, Green Gage and Prune
 per tin, only 68c
 Nabob Coffee, per tin 67c
 Red Rose Coffee, per pound 63c
 Coffee, in bulk, reg. 45c for 38c
 Canned Fish, reg. 20c and 25c
 per tin, 11c
 Salmon, Red Cohoe, reg. 30c
 a tin, for 23c
 Corn on Cob, tin 28c
 Tomatoes, per tin 18c
 Corn, per tin 17c
 Sweet Potatoes, tin 23c
 Apricots, 5lb pkg. 98c
 Apricots, per pound 22c
 Peached, peeled, 5lb pkg. \$1.08
 Raisins, Turkish sultanas, reg.
 30c for 23c
 Loganberries, per pkg. 36c

Onions

B.C. Fine Dry Inspected Stock
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 —25 pounds for \$1.23
 —50 pounds for \$2.38
 —Per bag \$4.25

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BORN

PARKER—At Millet, on the 2nd
 inst., to Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Parker,
 twin boys.

DIED

PARKER—At Millet, on the 6th
 inst., the infant son of Mr. and Mrs.
 A. H. Parker, aged four days.

Mark E. Steinhauer, an Indian, and
 N. Stamp, a halfbreed, who were ar-
 rested at Red Deer by the A.P.P., and
 brought back to Edmonton for trial
 on charges of raising cheques, were
 both sentenced to one year at hard
 labor, but the sentences were suspend-
 ed for 24 months, provided they se-
 cure bonds of \$100 for good behaviour.
 His worship considered that their ac-
 tion had been influenced by schemers
 who profited by it, and that they were
 partly victims under the circum-
 stances.

Ottawa, Jan. 4.—Representatives of
 the different provincial governments
 who interviewed the federal govern-
 ment here yesterday, seeking a renewal
 of the grants for agricultural instruc-
 tion, presented copious reasons why
 it should be continued, and were told
 by the government of the reasons
 why this could not be done, the main
 one being the imperative necessity
 for economy. The grant for which the
 delegation was asking the continuance
 was made under the agricultural in-
 struction act in 1914 and involved a
 sum of \$10,000,000 to be paid in an-
 nual instalments varying from \$100,000
 to \$1,000,000.

MANY TOURISTS FROM THE PRAIRIE PROVINCES ARE ON WORLD'S CRUISE

Vancouver, B.C. Jan. 4.—Under the
 command of Capt. Samuel Robinson,
 the Canadian Pacific steamer, Empress
 of Canada, sailed from Vancouver
 this afternoon on her first round-the-
 world cruise from Vancouver. She
 will go to New York, whence the cruise
 proper will begin January 30. The
 vessel started the first lap of the jour-
 ney today with approximately 200 pas-
 sengers from various parts of Cana-
 da and the United States. A feature
 of the passenger bookings was the
 fact that 199 were from the prairie
 provinces. Bookings from these pro-
 vinces were from Lethbridge, Calgary,
 Regina, Edmonton, Vulcan, Saskatoon,
 Bitters Lake, Camrose, Indian Head,
 Bow Island, Standard, High River, Hus-
 sar, Gleichen and Gull Lake, as well
 as many from Winnipeg.

HONOR ROLL OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS KING EDWARD

Grade I—

Leavitt Johnson
 Viola Carlson
 Valborg Postredt
 Florence Condie

Grade II—

Walter Chapman
 Sylvester Shaw
 Peter Brookfield
 Annie Pedersen

Grade III—

Hildegard Dystrom
 Martha Nelson
 Norman Scott
 Thema Moen

Grade IV—

Amelia Knack
 Mildred Nyström
 Victor Nelson
 Charles Hanna
 Leo Wing
 Lester Wiberg

Grade V—

Rhoda Cook
 Ethel Johnson
 Bechen Nyström
 Bertha Lykken

Grade VI—

Billy Rourke
 Maude Robertson
 Gladys Moore
 Henry Haas
 Bernice Weis
 Harold Williams

Grade VII—

Elsie Walker
 Myrtle Owen
 Arthur Brickman
 Geneva Recknagle
 Grace Williams
 Ethel Walker
 Mabel Bengtson
 Flora Dougan
 Andrew Dougan
 Gertrude Liversidge
 ALEXANDRA SCHOOL

Grade I—

Norman Holbrook
 Sydney Zack
 Ivy Smith
 Bobbie Spencer
 Raymond Kiratlen
 Margaret Stevenson
 Ian Barry

Grade II—

Marjorie Montgomery
 Otto Wudel
 Ednor Somers
 Suto Ochs

Grade III—

Ailsa Elliott
 Florence Walker
 Louisa Dunphy
 Alfred Bowls
 Hazel Hanna
 Teresa Leachart
 Charlie Welsford

Grade IV—

Nellie Walker
 Wing Foo
 Sybil Liversidge
 Russel Graham
 Edward Schneck
 Mildred Morris

Grade V—

Eliz. Ochs
 Emma Wudel
 Marjorie Burkett
 Leata Ochs

Grade VI—

Elsie Farham
 Clara Williamson
 Jennie Moore
 Morgan French
 Peggy Rubra

Detailed report on the completed
 work of the high school grades for
 the fall term will appear in next
 week's issue.

Wetaskiwin Markets

January 9, 1924

No. 1 Northern	76
No. 2 Northern	73
No. 3 Northern	68
No. 4 Northern	60
Oats	40 - 50
Ons	35 - 42
Barley	32 - 42
Hogs	\$7.00
Steers	2.00 - 2.00
Cows	1.50 - 2.50
Sheep	6.00
Lards	10.00
Eggs	30
Potatoes	30

CHURCH CHIMES

FULL GOSPEL MISSION

Sunday school, 2 p.m.
 Adult Bible class at 3 p.m.
 Sunday night at 8 p.m.
 Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 8 p.m.
 Young People's meeting, Friday, 8 p.m.

SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH

P. M. Meyer, Minister.
 Sunday, January 13—
 Sunday school, 11 a.m.
 Service—8 p.m.

The Sunday evening meeting will
 be a Young People's meeting.

Nashville—
 Sunday school—2 p.m.
 Service—3 p.m.

Prayer and testimony meeting in
 Wetaskiwin church every Thursday
 night at 8 o'clock.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. A. L. Elliott, M.A., B.D.
 January 6th to 13th is our week of
 special prayer. Services are being
 held in the church each evening,
 from 7:30 to 8:30 except Saturday.

Sunday, January 13—
 11 a.m.—"Christianity and Contro-
 versy" or "Faith and Doubt."

2:30 p.m.—S.S. & B.C.
 7:30 p.m.—"Hallelujah, Amen" or
 "Our Appreciation."

The annual meeting of the congrega-
 tion will be held on Wednesday, Jan.
 16th, with worship at 7:30. Business
 at 8, and refreshments after the busi-
 ness.

SWEDISH MISSION

New Sweden—Sunday school at 12.
 Preaching service at 8 p.m.

Maido—Sunday school at 2 p.m.
 Service at 2 p.m. The pastor will
 preach.

Prayer meetings will be held dur-
 ing next week at following places:
 Monday evening, 8 o'clock, at Hjal-
 mar Nelson's.

Tuesday, 2 p.m. at Oscar Moesens's.
 Wednesday, 8 p.m. at Carlson's.
 Thursday, 2 p.m. at Björkgrön's.
 Friday, 8 p.m. at Bradenberg's.

IMMANUEL CHURCH

Sunday, Jan. 13—
 11 a.m.—Holy Communion.
 7:30 p.m.—Evening service and ser-
 mon.

Preacher—The Right Rev. The Bis-
 hop of Edmonton.

2:30 p.m.—Sunday school.
 3:30 p.m.—Confirmation class.

The Bishop of the diocese will be
 present at both services on Sunday.

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday, Jan. 13—
 Services as usual, at 11 a.m. and at
 7:30 p.m.

Sunday school at 2:30 p.m.
 The preacher for the day will be
 Mr. T. A. P. Frost, of Ponoka.

A special service for prayer will be
 held on Wednesday night at eight
 o'clock, to which all are invited.

Commencing with Sunday evening.

January 20th, a series of special ser-
 vices will be conducted with a view
 to a deeper spiritual life. The co-
 operation of all Christian people is in-
 vited.

BUSINESS LOCALS

***See the Dempsey-Gibbons fight
 pictures at the Angus Theatre Tues-
 day evening next (only). Admission
 50c and 25c including tax. Friday and

Saturday of this week, Jan. 11th and
 12th, Zamo Grey's story "Golden
 Dreams," at popular prices.

***W. Johnston, artist, Edmonton,
 will give tuition in painting, oil and
 water colors on Monday afternoons,
 Phone 196. 463th.

***As I have been appointed an of-
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